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Attorney Docket No. UV-100 CPA

Applicant

For

Edward B. Knudson

APPARATUS AND METHODS FOR CONSTRAINED APPARATUS OF FAVORITE CHANNELS

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Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR FILTING A RULE 53(d) CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

This is a request for filing a [X] continuation, [] divisional, application, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) (continued prosecution application (CPA)), of pending prior Application No. 09/375,901 (Confirmation No. 5773), filed August 17, 1999.

- 1. [] Please enter the Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed ______ in Application No. ____
- 2. [] A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

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- 3. [] This application is filed by fewer than all the
 inventors named in the prior application (37 C.F.R.
 § 1.53(d)(4)). Delete the following inventor(s) named
 in the prior application:
- 4. [] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 [] is enclosed, [] was filed in the prior application and such status is still proper and desired (37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a)).
- 5. [X] The filing fee is calculated below:

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE				\$ 710.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	28 - 20 * =	8 x	\$18 =	\$ 144.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4 - 3 ** =	1 ×	\$80 =	\$ 80.00
[] MULTIPLE	DEPENDENT CLAIM	S +	\$270 =	\$ 0.00
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- 6. [] A check in the amount of \$____ in payment of the filing fee is enclosed.
- 7. [X] This application is being filed unaccompanied by a filing fee. The appropriate filing fee will be paid in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (f).
- 8. [] Please charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the filing fee. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

- 9. [] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.
- 10. [X] The power of attorney in prior Application No. 09/375,901, is to:

 Robert C. Morgan , Reg. No. 30,199

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 - 10a. [X] The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
 - 10b. [] Because the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
 - 10c. [] Because the undersigned's power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the undersigned's power in the prior application is enclosed.
- 11. [X] Address all future communications to:

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- 12. [X] Please grant a [] one-month, [] two-month, [X] three-month, [] four-month, [] five-month, extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to the Office Action of October 4, 2000 in Application No. 09/375,901, filed August 17, 1999, so that this Request will be filed while that application is still pending.
- 13. [X] A check in the amount of \$890.00 in payment of the extension-of-time fee is enclosed.
- 14. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional extension-of-time fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with this paper, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account

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15. [] Please charge the extension-of-time fee of \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

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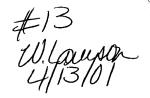
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NONPUBLICATION REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.213(a), applicant hereby requests that the above-identified patent application, which is being filed concurrently herewith, not be published under 35 U.S.C. § 122(b). It is hereby certified that the invention disclosed in the application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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